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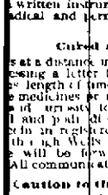

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The Daily Oregonian:

WEDNESDAY MORNING JULY 22, 1874

THE LAST TICKET

Harper's Weekly is the latest accession to the ranks of independent journalism and its partisan department has left the shackles of party. After forming briefly to some of the chief circumstances that would seem to renounce the field of independent journalism rather unmanning such as the persistent and malignant opposition of most of the men now occupying high places in the Government the New York *Tribune* says:

And yet recruits come in. There are more independent newspapers in the country to-day by several than before Congress met last December. They speak not much more freely if they are at least less tolerant of the faults and shortcomings of their opponents, certainly less disposed to cover up and apologize for the blunders and crimes of their party friends. Indeed with all the wholesale abuse which such journals as ours receive from men in high places the distinction of being independent and of being recognized as independent, is coming to be eagerly sought after. Only one or two newspapers outside of Washington and those very much of the character of the Washington organs—though the statement may be libelous—venture to proclaim their blood relations though many of them continue to sneer at the so-called independent press. The title of independent journalist is getting to be quite honorable. Several new periodicals are coming forward in stunning shells to claim it. The last comment is Mr Thomas Nast's *Harper's Journal of Civilization*. It comes in with all the pretensions and proclamation in some sort of the full page cartoon on the first page of the current issue of that journal the other says distinctly. Mr Nast belongs to the independent press. The cartoon represents Columbia at the door of the Senate chamber turning the key and pointing angrily at Jefferson Davis, who sits contentedly in his chair with a clock such as Nast's pencil has never given him before on the table is packed marked. Richardson as Judge of Court on the floor under the scribed Shepherd rejected by the Senate by an overwhelming majority, new District Governor Washington D C the legend runs. Don't let us hear any more of this nonsense. It is a good trait to see and by our friends. But the cartoon is it will be no less a surprise to the readers of the *Journal* than the accompanying statement that Mr Nast belongs to the independent press.

The *Inter Ocean* has been hunting and hell for its conservative relatives. It did not come into the support of the war for the Union till quite late but when it did it take the position of a tried good office for the cause. It has been somewhat slow coming into the ranks of the Independent Press. Its editorial line was full the smack of independence since Mr Curtis discovered some months ago that the President's Civil Service Reform promises were empty and false. But the picture of depravity has been so terrible to the Administration up to the present issue. Th thorough change it has now and none is significant not only of a change in public sentiment toward the Administration but of the more using fever with which independent journalism is beginning to be regarded.

The *Tribune* had predicted, some time previously that Mr Nast's genius would not continue long cramped within the narrow limits of partisan. As Mr Curtis the editor of the *Bible* had got his eyes opened through the conduct of the President with relation to the Civil Service Reform it was thought Mr Nast could not long remain blind and deaf to facts that were patent everywhere. The *Tribune's* prediction has been proved correct.

Another year will bring about still further changes in the status of newspapers unless we greatly mistake. The leading party journals are now practically independent of the parties they claim to represent. They speak less disparagingly every day of the professedly independent press and one after another they come out boldly and avow themselves independent of party or political organization organs of party opinion when there are issues of importance pending but not organs of party in any sense implying closer relationship than this. Before another twelve months, unless the tide in the affairs of the newspaper world shall in the interim begin to flow in some other direction than in which it is now setting no first class journal in the United States will be willing to confess itself a party organ in any different sense from that in which the principal independent papers may at the present time, be considered party organs. Already it is almost owing to this and all the moral forces of the period unite to hasten the end of the revolution.

BEECHER MAKES AN UNFORTUNATE BLUNDER.

In all probability the six men named by Mr Beecher to act as judges in the investigation of the charges against him are of the very best and most conscientious. They are selected, three from Plymouth Church and three from Plymouth Society. Over both church and society Mr Beecher as pastor and has been during all the time the quarrel between him and Mr Tilton has been going on. It is hardly likely that they would have remained in the church and society, if they had not felt pretty well convinced in their own minds of the innocence of their pastor. So it turns out that six men who, whatever be their standing, are in the very nature of things biased against Mr Tilton and in favor of Mr Beecher are to be judges between them and not only so but all these six men are selected by Mr Beecher himself, without the slightest being allowed to the adverse party either to interrogate them concerning their qualifications or to challenge any of them. Not thus do courts of justice try questions between man and man. It may work no wrong in this case, but the principle is unfair and in case wherein it produces just results must be in exceptional one. Prejudice and partiality are conditions of human nature in the church as well as out of it, and Plymouth Church and Society are in no wise different from other similar bodies in this respect.

Should it be determined to publish in full the evidence given before this Commission as well as the conclusions that shall be reached the effect may be to remove from the public mind the suspicion of unfairness that will naturally attach to the proceedings of a court constituted in so extraordinary a manner. But if the conclusions alone shall be published and if those conclusions are in favor of Mr Beecher no one intelligent reader out of every three will allow those conclusions to affect his own judgment to any appreciable extent until the suspicion which now unfortunately rests upon Mr Beecher will be rather aggravated than allayed. We have somehow felt all along that Mr Beecher would yet come forth without a smell of fire upon his garments but he cannot do this unless as an antidote to the poison created against his cause by the manner of choosing his jurors he all in the whole proceeding to be given to the world. The verdict of a packed jury may be a technical vindication but it can not be a moral one.

THE INDIANA BOURBONS

The Democrats of Indiana met in State Convention at Indianapolis on the 14th of the present month and organized by the election of Governor T A Hendricks President with the other officers usual in such bodies. The platform of which the following synopsis is all we have room to give, is the most remarkable utterance that the Democratic press was ever called unanimously.

It declares that the present administration is untrustworthy in its professions of civil service reform, in its treatment of the State officers, in its appointments of Southern Democrats, in its use of the public money for political purposes, in its favoritism in the distribution of contracts, in its extravagance, in its failure to punish corruption and in its unjust discrimination against the Democratic party in the Southern States. It declares that the Democratic party is the party of the Constitution and the Union, and that it is the party of strict construction of the constitution, of the preservation of the States and the distribution of their reserved rights, of honest money, of economy, of a tariff for revenue, of the equal and exact enforcement of all the laws, of the reform of the civil service, of the abolishment of all partisan interference with elections, of the maintenance of the public faith, of the payment of the public debt, of the speedy return to specie payments, of the preservation of the public lands for actual settlers, of the improvement of the navigable rivers and harbors of the country, of the encouragement of American commerce, of the protection of American citizens in their rights at home and abroad, of the separation of Church and State, of the equality of all men before the law, of the right of local self-government, of the reserved rights of the States, of the liberty of the press, of the liberty of speech, of the liberty of conscience, of the right of the people peaceably to assemble and petition for the redress of grievances, of the habeas corpus, of trial by jury, of the supremacy of the civil over the military power, of the right of asylum, of the faithful collection and economical disbursement of the revenues, of the strict limitation of the appropriations to the necessary expenses of the government economically administered, of the liberal pensioning of the disabled soldiers and sailors of the republic and of the widows and orphans of those who have fallen in battle, of the full recognition of the validity of the public debt and of the obligation of the United States to pay the 5-20 bonds according to the letter of the law, of the speedy payment of the legal tender notes, of the repeal of the resumption act, of the repeal of the national banking law, of the substitution of greenbacks for national bank currency, of a return to specie payments as soon as the business or interest of the country permit, of such an adjustment of the volume of currency as will best subserve the industrial and commercial requirements of the country and of a liberal system of education alike to whites and blacks but opposed to the mixture of races in the public schools and institutions.

The Convention view with abhorrence the attempt on the part of the Federal Government to take control of all school and colleges, churches, hotels, railroads, steamboats, ferries and graveyards for establishing Negro equality and compel white to go equal to and public rights to the colored man is proposed in the Civil Rights bill and repeal ties in Ohio.

The Convention arraigns Senators Morton and Pratt before the State for their vote favoring the abhorrent measure and declares that that known as the Baxter bill has proved a failure and is of doubtful constitutionality and restrains and impoverishes less than good and pernicious license law therefore its repeal is favored.

It will be asked by persons who are in the least given to asking questions upon such matters, what there is among the specifications in that clause setting forth particularly the reasons why the people should entrust the Democratic party with the administration & that any other party in existence or conceivable might not claim with equal propriety. Strict construction of the constitution enforcement of the law "to the hilt" for revenue and the like all the way through not omitting the usual general clap trap about economy:

> observations on the east
> That never much to the purpose came to pass
> And all the world a hint to them

The next paragraph offers something a little more pointed. The Convention, it seems was careful not to express the opinion that the leading propositions in this division of their platform would inspire an extraordinary degree of confidence in the party. In that they exhibited most excellent judgment. The people of the States and of the United States long ago condemned the scheme of paying the public debt in the Micawber fashion of constantly giving a new note. And as to substituting greenbacks for National Bank currency it is so very easy to perceive wherein the Government would gain nothing by the change while upon considerations of convenience the weight of argument is against the change.

Here we have the threadbare old cant of Democratic conference on the subject of negro equality. We had hoped never again to hear the Democratic voice finitely appealing to the American voter with paramount, despairing. How would you like to have *your* daughter marry a nigger? but it is evidently coming. The Democrats of Indiana have purposely put down their ground with the intention of pressing their conundrum upon the minds of Indiana voters in the campaign. If the Democratic party is ever to learn anything or forget anything, in order to bring itself abreast of the age, it is high time for it to begin.

The influence of the Union Republican Congressional Committee, what more fitting monument to the leader all the mine of opposes the leasing of the best of free land to railways in the hands of the speculators. It would be to publish to the world that the Republican party is a party of corruption and spoliation, and that the Congressional Committee are the agents of the party in the work. It is quite time to let the people know where the constitutional lines are drawn. And it would be interesting to know by what authority the Committee derived the power to close out the land grants to railroads. Is it conferred by the constitution. There are probably some constitutional lawyers on the Union Republican Congressional Committee who could impart information on this subject. If not there is no military necessity for the existence of the Committee. Even though we must admit the situation of political affairs seems to present a case of overwhelming necessity of some kind.

A CENTRAL STORE—Two years ago Mr Tilton of the Court which has barred Moses the other Commissioner of South Carolina on the ground that a Commissioner could not be hired for favors. Had an interview with the President in which he showed considerable interest in the political condition of South Carolina and when Judge Mackey suggested the condition of affairs in the State Grant said:

Why don't you convert Moses. The Chicago *Inter Ocean* comments on this remark as follows:

> Grant repudiates those as who would hint in a personal interview with Judge Mackey the President shall share in Why don't you convert Moses? And Mackey might have retorted. Why did you nominate Shepherd? However Moses and Hoar would be summarily dealt with by the people and that Congress on the score of reform in this case is sleeping. If Corruption and Moses must be unloaded.

On the right of the ground passed over the city of Savannah Georgia which uprooted trees unroofed houses and destroyed buildings that were not strongly constructed. The grand stand at the fair grounds was destroyed. The track of the storm was narrow but its force was terrific.

The Republican Convention of the Third Congressional District of Louisiana met to be solved in favor of Grant for the third term. It is truly a number two.

THE BEECHER TILTON AFFAIR

The Brooklyn *Argus* states that when Beecher produced his statement writing to the night before read, with the result that it was the paper he intended to read before the Investigating Committee. That friend read it carefully and returned it to Beecher remarking that it was very good. Beecher then said that he would present that paper to the committee. Beecher asking the reason of such advice was answered. Because Tilton's statement will shape its pieces. On further consultation and consideration of views Beecher determined to follow the advice of his friend. After Tilton's statement was read Beecher said that he might have made a statement but that in consideration of which he announced that he had not prepared any evidence to submit to the body.

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Ordinance No 1501

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING CONTRACTS for erecting certain Culverts with the Common Council.

The City of Portland does ordain as follows:

Section 1. That the Committee on Fire and Water are hereby authorized to advertise for, receive proposals and enter into contract (subject to the approval of the Common Council) for the following described Culverts, to be constructed in accordance with the specifications filed in the City Engineer's office, to wit:

One Culvert on Front street, commencing at the West line of Division street, and extending Westerly to the Willamette River.

One Culvert on Division street, commencing at the North line of Front street, and extending Northerly to the South line of Grant street.

One Culvert on Harrison street, commencing at the North line of Front street, and extending Northerly to the South line of Grant street.

Passed the Common Council July 1, 1874.

W. S. CALDWELL, Auditor and Clerk.

Approved July 1, 1874.

HENRY FAILING, Mayor.

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Ordinance No. 1502

AN ORDINANCE TO ESTABLISH THE GRADE of Twelfth street.

The City of Portland does ordain as follows:

Section 1. That the grade of Twelfth street at a point two hundred (200) feet south of the south line of Main street and the same is hereby established at one hundred and twenty eight (128) feet above the base of grade.

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Ordinance No 1504

AN ORDINANCE MAKING AN APPROPRIATION for the Board of Engineer.

The City of Portland does ordain as follows:

Section 1. The sum of Five Hundred Dollars is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund for the Board of Engineers, in accordance with the provisions of Ordinance No 1429.

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Wearing Body		2 00
Top for Finishing		1 50
Best Coach Rubbing,		3 50
" "		3 00
Japan Gold Size		3 00
No 1 Flowing		2 25
Black Leather		1 00
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J. H. WOLFE, Secretary.

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FOR WALLULA—Monday and Friday at 5 A M.

FOR ASTORIA—Daily, except Sunday at 6 A M.

FOR KALAMA and TACOMA—Daily (Sundays excepted) at 6 A M.

FOR MONTICELLO via Willamette Slough—Monday Wednesday and Friday at 7 A M.

FOR VICTORIA—Wednesday and Saturday at 6 A M.

S G REED Vice President.

Oregon Steamship Company's

STEAMBOATS.

Notice.

FROM AND AFTER MONDAY, Sept. 23d the steamer

E. N. COOKE

Will leave OREGON CITY every day (Sunday excepted) at 7:30 A M for Portland, returning, will leave Portland for Oregon City at 2:30 P M.

Passengers for LAFAYETTE and all intermediate places will take CARS at 9:45 A M connecting at Canemah with the steamer DAYTON on Tuesday and Friday connecting at Oregon City with the O & C R R Co at 8 P M; on Wednesday and Saturday for Portland.

THROUGH TICKETS sold at the Office of the O & C R R Co at REDUCED RATES.

All Freight by this line delivered to consignees FREE OF DRAYAGE.

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J. D. BILES, Agent.

ASTORIA BOAT.

Willamette River Trans. Co.'s

STEAMER

WILLAMETTE CHIEF

Will leave Alder street Wharf every

Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, at 6 A M

Returning—Monday, Wednesday & Friday.

PASSAGE—Portland to Kalama 50 cts.

Portland to Astoria $1 00

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WILL LEAVE DAILY FROM WASHINGTON Street Wharf for Vancouver at 8:30 A M

Returning leave Vancouver at 8 A M

For freight or passage apply on board.

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Portland, Monticello and Freeport,

Leaving Ankeny Slough Exchange Wharf every Tuesday Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock A M calling at Lewis River on Wednesday up and Thursday down. Will come up Willamette Slough on Monday and go down the Slough on Tuesdays.

For Freight or Passage apply on board.

People's Accommodation!

For Monticello and Freeport.

On and after the day June 9th the Steamer CONWAY will leave the Ankeny Exchange Wharf for all points in the Columbia and Willamette Rivers every Monday Morning at 7 o'clock A M returning will leave Freeport every Monday Morning at 7 o'clock A M calling at Monticello Tuesday and Wednesday and will reach Portland on Thursday. For Freight or Passage apply on board to

C. W. THAYER, Captain.

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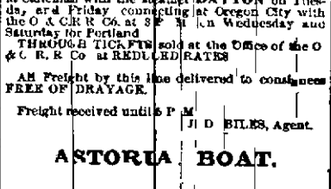

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The Daily Oregonian.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, JULY 22 1874

CITY.

CLEAN!—Hot weather upon us and the season for colds, fevers and malarial disorders has arrived. The means which comes from the marshes and low lands lying out to the city from which the waters recede, or miasmatic exhalations from the atmosphere, cannot well be avoided but the inevitable effects up in the human system can measurably be counteracted or modified. Personal cleanliness and the use of disinfectants will contribute much towards securing immunity with ordinary forethought of many of the ... sions must be taken to secure the best health ... lands about the city should be cleared to the ... Nuisances should be abated to the ... premises should be cleaned, and ... general cleaning up and whitewashing ... A little precaution in these matters will ... connection we cannot forbear to mention the ... filthy condition of the wharves and shores of the river fronting both the business ... sections of the city. Not only are the ... deposited near the bank or ... but ... are driven into the waters where ... and along the bank of the river where ... are landed and left on the water receding are ... at high and dry water. In the heats of summer ... July or August these ... become masses of ... offensive odor to the smell and disgusting ... to the sight. If a little more attention was ... to the sanitary condition of the city, would be greatly benefited and our citizens would ... enjoy a much greater immunity from sickness. The good results which would be certain to flow from such a wise measure would abundantly ... for the cost of the experiment.

THE BRIDGE QUESTION.—We learn that a movement is now on foot among the capitalists of this city and State having for its object the construction of a bridge across the Willamette. A call for a meeting of those who are interested in this very important project will ... be issued. It is thought that ... of about $50,000 has been subscribed toward the ... direction of the bridge, and if ... additions can be secured. As much as ... is being made to awaken a lively interest in the matter, and effect co-operation in the movement. Circulars will be forwarded at an early day to a number of prominent and wealthy men on both sides of the river, and earnest appeals made for the most liberal subscriptions. The question of constructing a bridge over the Willamette, at Portland, is one of great importance, ... less for the benefits to accrue and the ... that ... just then not in sight, than for the ... it will open up the ... of the ... to the ... portion of the State. The project as well as the ... merit of the ... to bridge this last ... deserves the ... movement in every ... of something more ... finite than a mere talk.

CLEARING AWAY THE RUINS.—For the last week a number of men have been engaged in clearing away the charred debris at the scene of the recent fire. The salts being removed from the partially destroyed safes which enclosed it and separated. Those portions of the salt which were more exposed to the intense heat are being carefully removed from the ... has damaged and placed in sacks. The ... damaged portions are likewise being sacked by the last of the present week the process of ... operation will have been finished, and the damage sustained by the fire can be accurately determined. One thing is certain, the quantity of salt damaged by the fire will be less than what was at first estimated. There is a very small per centage of the salt which will be rendered wholly useless.

A GENERAL ROW.—About 9 o'clock last evening a general row occurred at a house situated near the corner of Third and Stevens in which ... A man named Morrisey. During the afternoon a number of persons gathered at the house, and whiskey was freely used. At night ... quarrel broke out, ... the affair terminated in a general row. A man named Jones was severely beaten about the head and face by two persons calling themselves Barker and Phillips. Chief Lappeus was notified of the row, and repaired to the scene with all haste. Both Barker and Phillips were arrested, and taken to jail. Phillips, on depositing $50, was released, while Barker was committed to jail. This morning the matter will be inquired into at the Police Court.

COURT MATTERS.—Judge McBride, who has been in San Francisco for the past six weeks or more, is expected daily, superintending the printing of the new Code, and reading the proofs will be a passenger on the steamer which leaves for Portland next Saturday. He will hold a term of the U. S. Circuit Court, commencing on the 10th inst. On the same day which will send the following week Judge Sawyer, Circuit Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States will arrive in Portland. As regards the Circuit Court, Judge Sawyer, Judge Shiel, Marshal Christy and the District Clerk are expected to arrive on the 10th inst. Judge Sawyer comes to hold a short term of court, and on the docket will be but few cases for him.

TOM ANN.—The old wooden tenement which has for years occupied the corner of First and Second streets for so many years as a landmark, is being demolished by the owner to give ... ments more substantial and pretentious. On Monday a number of workmen began to tear away this old building. They was found to be so difficult ... as the wear and tear of the elements for the past twelve years had about used the building up. Mr Dekum who owns the ground occupied by the stable proposes to erect in the present season in its stead a brick structure. This place is a noted old land mark, relic of by-gone days to make way for the onward strides of improvement.

APPROVED.—We learn that after our accredited ... unavoidable delay, Mr Fred Harbaugh, County Treasurer elect, filed his official bond in the Clerk's office yesterday. He was required to give bonds in the sum of $50 000 in gold coin and it is reported that the bond was examined by the County Court and accepted. Mr Harbaugh having qualified will enter upon the duties of the office to which Mr Wm Meiers retires.

WEATHER REPORT.—From the records of the U S Signal Station of Observation of Portland Oregon July 1874.

	8 A M	2 P M	9 P M
Thermometer	58	68	59
Wind direction	S W	S W	N W
Velocity	1	1	0
Weather	Clear	Clear	Clear
Max. temperature			68
Rainfall			0.00

BONDHOLDERS.—On Monday evening last a meeting of German Bondholders of the Oregon and California railroad in need was held at Frohman's saloon and more ... were present. The object of the meeting was to ... the bondholders.

PLAZA CONCERT.—The following programme will be discussed this evening ... the Plaza: Jubel March ... Strauss ... Lucinda Lane ... Overture Bohn ... Western Waltzer ... Kinsler ... Potpourri ... Arme Polnia ... Laird ... Herdle ... Galop, Jacob.

THE OREGONIAN.—Hereafter Master Charles Hart will be route the Daily Oregonian to subscribers in Vancouver. He is a likely ... and ... will serve the paper ... this ... is heartily ...

SPIRITUALISTIC MEETINGS.—Arrangements have been made with Mr. ... for a ... all persons wishing to attend the meetings ... Germania on the 1st of this month for ... fare. Tickets ... for the four days.

IN SESSION.—The annual session of the Grand Council of the Independent Order of Red Men of this State, convened in this city yesterday morning. It will continue in session for several days.

FOR SITKA.—The steamer *Colfax* will sail ... for the above and intermediate ports ... on the 1st day of August.

If you are ... can be ... in the world ... the Mexican ...

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Rain is badly needed.

Dog days are approaching.

The Plaza—music to-night.

Sidewalk astronomy is the rage.

Roseburg beer is brought here ... It is but little taste to over-praise it.

Green ... are ... here.

The Irish are on the war path against Myrtle ... city ordering ... bouquets. But little strut in their ... going ahead now.

Special notices of the Council on Friday evening.

The Court Court adjourned yesterday until Saturday.

The Commissioners Court adjourned over ... day with nothing ...

Another ... to be held on Portland ...

Early rising is unhealthful. But hunters always do it early.

A ... of miniature ... is to be moored off the foot of Oak street.

School children in all ... enjoying the vacation in every ...

Mr. and Mrs. ... in Portland, ... Sherbrooke ... the ... Oregonian ... this ... from ... Dalles.

Where ... the inscription that A. Kantz is living ... If the ... not ... a ... correct ...

The Irvine Woolen Mill Company are ... repairing ... construct a large ... at the foot of Jefferson street.

The ... around the General ... is being ... up. The ... will ... the ... to ... to ... to

The Daily Oregonian.

WEDNESDAY MORNING JULY 22, 1874

THE TRUTH WITHOUT FEAR OR FAVOR

BY WM. HUNTINGTON.

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SLEPT WITH HIS SPURS ON

"Yes," said the old miner with [illegible] remarked one time in particular while [illegible] a certain old friend of mine [illegible] Virginia City. We were travelling [illegible] and had put up at a tavern one night about [illegible] We retired early and were [illegible] sound asleep in a room [illegible] occupied by two strangers who were [illegible] both snoring lustily. The dust of the [illegible] two beds in the room did not surprise us as [illegible] as it always is where there are frequently three [illegible] in a room. We undressed and just as [illegible] were going to blow out the light my friend [illegible] who had got out of bed the first one of the strangers sticking through the bed clothes at the foot of the bed. With a suppressed chuckle he motioned me to hold on a moment, hurriedly got out of bed, and going to where the stranger's boots were he took off a pair of sharp Mexican spurs and carefully adjusted the rowel of the larger heel of the two to the stranger's foot. With no little chuckle as he thought of the consequences that would follow when the stranger drew in his foot he got back into bed and I blew out the light and followed suit. He soon managed to get a long straw from the bed and reached over and tickled the stranger's foot. He instantly drew his legs up until his knees almost touched his chin. In a twinkling he drew the spur the whole length of his bed fellow's leg making a bad scratch. The victim uttered a yell and sprang out of bed with a muttered exclamation that I did not make out and then he commenced a wild dance around the room with his one leg, grabbing it under his arm and making frantic efforts to dislocate his neck or to see how badly he was hurt all the while making exclamations that would have made a bystander envy a Saratoga trunk on his shoulder turn green with envy. The innocent cause of the trouble had been awakened at the first yell of the victim and the straightening his legs out, searched hastily but unsuccessfully. He did not yell in search but when he jumped out of bed and made for his friend with the purpose of taking revenge I supposed by the hair. I took two steps before he rubbed the sleep into his bleared eyes. The landlord then appeared with a light, followed by half the boarders in the house and mourned what the matter was. An examination brought to light the spur which splintered the matter. The stranger looked sheepishly at the spur then at his scratch, and in his examined his boot, and with a sickly smile said 'Well boys, I have lived all my life among people who wear spurs but I never before saw a man who could pull off his boots and leave his spur on his leg. I'll treat in the morning.'"

COST OF SUNDAY OPERA

[Compiled from Examiner and Chronicle by the Philadelphia Press.]

A first class quartet with an organist costs from $4 000 to $10 000.

It costs something to have a fashionable choir. An ordinary quartet costs $2 000 [illegible]

A good tenor singer, soprano, or contralto commands readily $1,000. Some sopranos are paid $3 000.

Warren, of St Thomas Church stands at the head of choir leaders. He has $6 000 a year salary and a house.

Grace Church pays its musical conductor $ 000 a year. Out of this sum he hires all the help he needs and pays himself.

One female singer in the city has $4 000 for morning and afternoon service and $1 000 extra for singing in the evening in another church.

Trinity Church, though very economical, pays $10 000 a year for its music. It has a choir of thirty members. These are paid a salary and receive a complete musical education.

Many of our fashionable congregations are dispensing with editors altogether and are calling in the aid of a precentor. But this style of music has its serious drawbacks.

The First Presbyterian Church of this city has never had an organ or instrument of music. The spirit of Robert Lennox still abides. It was considered a great innovation when a quartet choir was introduced.

St Bartholomew's just now the rage, as a fashionable church goes. It is the newest and most elegant Episcopal church in the city. Its singing is a specialty. Men crowd it as a place to hear the music. When the sermon comes on they leave in droves.

The elegant little church on Fifth avenue, known as Christ Church, has been famous for its music. Run down by Mr Lyons and Jesse A. Bowen's broker proposed to tone things up by bringing in singing. The broker fund in one year $30,000 for the music of this church.

Plymouth church has a congregational singing led by a full choir. Inside the choir is a paid quartet. The trustees set apart $7 500 for music. To this is added $500 more, bringing it up to $8,000. Fifteen hundred of this is paid to Mr Zundel as organist. The balance the leader uses at his discretion.

Many of our churches tire of the present mode of conducting the service of song in the house of the Lord. In some cases, singers hardly get the burnt cork off their faces in season for the morning worship. Italians and newsboys who sing at the theater until midnight on Saturday at a heavy salary appear in the church to praise the Lord.

YOUNG MAN DON'T BLUSH

I noticed a letter in your excellent paper the other day, signed "Y M C A" in which the writer, who is evidently a young gentleman, protests against the indecency of promiscuous bathing at watering places and the impropriety of ladies bathing dresses. I cannot help thinking that this young man is very young indeed. He evidently has the silly notion which is not out of place in a very young girl but which is very ridiculous in a young man who intends to become at some day a husband and father.

As an old lady, I feel the right to speak on the subject of ladies bathing in public. My own daughters have always done it with my warmest approbation and I should never consent to have them enter the surf unless in company with men who could look after them and keep them out of danger. I do not consider that there is anything indelicate about the bathing dresses worn by women. They cover the form completely and the fact that they permit the outlines of the body to be seen after the dresses become wet is a matter of no consequence.

The fact that women actually have bodies on which ribs stiffly for us to pretend to ignore especially in dress age when art has made us familiar with the human form. There is nothing unnatural in our bodies, and the men and women who as painters and sculptors are constantly in the familiar with the human form do not have their morals contaminated thereby. So far from objecting to the present style of bathing dress because it reveals too much I think it would be greatly improved if it were made with short sleeves and short legs so that the wearer could secure more freedom of limb. If Y M C A does not like it he can easily stay away from the seashore. And I will say, in conclusion, that he is to be pitied who standing on the beach in full view of the majestic ocean can see nothing except the wet bathing-dress of some lady on which he has turned his opera glass.

—*Lady Writer in a New York Paper.*

BUTLER, BUTLER, EVERYWHERE.—A Boston correspondent of the Louisville *Courier-Journal* says that if two Boston women stop to kiss each other on the street the sidewalk is blocked for a mile and everybody shouts "Butler," because that statesman is supposed to be the source of all woe.

FINANCE AND COMMERCE

Financial.

TUESDAY EVENING, July 21, 1874.

Gold in New York 110

Portland legal tenders buying at 89 selling 91

Sight exchange on New York in gold one per cent premium and currency 1/2 of one per cent premium

Sight exchange on San Francisco coin at par to 1/2 of 1 per cent premium

Gold buying [illegible]

Wheat in Liverpool [illegible] advices from San Francisco [illegible] for average California and [illegible] for club.

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